

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
WESTERN DIVISION

ANTHONY RIGGINS,

**Case No. 1:01-CV-503**

Plaintiff,

Vs.

**JUDGE BARRETT**

**FORREST HUNT, et al.,**

Defendants.

**MOTION TO WITHDRAW**

Now come counsels, Marie Moraleja Hoover and R. Tracy Hoover, to respectfully move this Court for an ORDER permitting them to withdraw as counsel of record for defendant Jerry Wells. This motion is being made due to the fact that a conflict of interest has arisen which makes it impossible to proceed as counsel of record for defendant Wells. In support of this motion, Jerry Wells has executed a release which would relieve counsels of any further responsibilities in the within matter.

For the foregoing reasons, counsels respectfully move this Court to allow them to withdraw and to grant the requested relief.

Respectfully submitted,

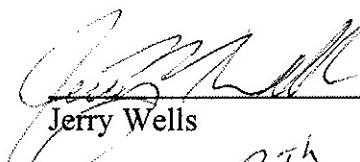
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**RELEASE**

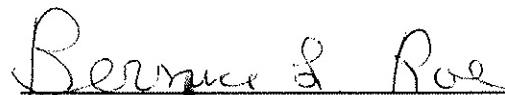
State of Ohio )  
                 )ss:  
County of Scioto)

Now comes Jerry Wells after being duly sworn according to law and states that he understands that a conflict of interest has arisen which makes joint representation of all three defendants (Hunt, Gannon, and Wells) impossible. Jerry Wells also states that he desires to release attorneys Marie Moraleja Hoover and R. Tracy Hoover as his legal representatives and attorneys of record in the matter Anthony Riggins vs. Forrest Hunt, et al., Case No. 1:01-CV-503.



Jerry Wells

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2006.



Bernice L. Roe  
Notary Public



Bernice L. Roe  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My Commission Expires May 1, 2010

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